HIGH COURT OF CHHATTISGARH AT BILASPUR
DIVISION BENCH

CORAM : HON'BLE SHRI JAGDISH BHALLA, Ag C.J.
HON'BLE SHRI DILIP RAOSAHEB DESHMUKH, J.

Writ Petition (PIL) No. 7028 of 2007

Petitioner

Pahel a social organization a registered society under the Societies Registration Act. Through its President Chandra Mauli Bajpai, s/o late Umesh Chand Bajpai age 39 years, r/o Bajpai maidan, Tilak Nagar Bilaspur, C.G.

Versus

Respondents

1. State of Chhattisgarh - Through the Secretary, Department of Home Affairs, D.K.S. Bhavan, Raipur.
2. The Collector & District Magistrate, Raigarh, District Raigarh.
3. The Collector & District Magistrate, Korba, District Korba.
4. The Collector & District Magistrate, Janjgir-Champa, District Janjgir-Champa.
5. South Eastern Central Railway, through its General Manager, office of General Manager, South Eastern Central Railway, Bilaspur.
6. The Divisional Manager, South Eastern Central Railway, Bilaspur.
7. Rail Rokho Sangharsh Samiti, Baradwar, District Janjgir-Champa (C.G.), through its Secretary Shiv Sharma.
8. Rail Rokho Sangharsh Morcha, Raigarh, District Raigarh (C.G.),

through its Organizer Shri Rajendra Kumar Agarwal, Kabir Chowk, Raigarh.

9. Chhattisgarh chamber & Industries, Kharsiya, Rail Sangharsh Samiti, Kharsiya through its Organizer Shri Kailash Agarwal Dawaiwala.

10. District Chamber of Commerce & Industries, Korba, Rail Action Committee through its Organizer Shri M.D. Makhija through Satyam Bakers, T.P. Nagar, Korba.

Writ petition under Article 226 of the Constitution of India

Present : Shri Manindra Shrivastava, Senior Advocate with Shri Vaibhav A Govardhan, counsel for the petitioner.
Shri NK Agrawal, Deputy Advocate General with Shri Yashwant Singh, Government Advocate for the State.
Shri Abhishek Sinha, standing counsel for the railways.

ORAL ORDER

(Passed on 23rd November, 2007)

The following order of the Court was passed by **Hon'ble Jagdish Bhalla, Ag C.J.**

Heard.

Based on instructions received by the authorities, learned Deputy Advocate General informs this Court that after assessing the call for indefinite *rail chakka jam* and the threat perceptions by the authorities, adequate arrangements have been made. He further assures that at point of time if required full precautions would be taken to re-enforce the police force.

It has been further clarified that full cooperation would be extended by the Police authorities, District administration to the railway authorities. Shri Abhishek Sinha, learned counsel appearing for the railway authorities also assures this Court that adequate arrangements have been made. He further informs that with the cooperation of the District administration and Police administration, all efforts would be made

to stop this *rail chakka jam*, so as the traveling public may not face any difficulty.

It is further informed to this Court that all the parties are having a meeting on 24th November, 2007 to chalk-out a strategy and counter the *rail chakka jam* and also to resolve this dispute.

In light of the above statements made on behalf of the government and the railways, the petition stands disposed of.

Sd/-
Jagdish Bhalla
Ag. Chief Justice

Sd-/
Dilip Raosaheb Deshmukh
Judge

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